

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the
Commission's Own Motion to Evaluate Existing
Practices and Policies for Processing Offset Rate
Increases and Balancing Accounts in the Water
Industry to Decide Whether New Processes are
Needed.

Rulemaking 01-12-009
(Filed December 11, 2001)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING GRANTING MOTION

The Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) filed a motion dated October 15, 2002, seeking to submit information which it believes corrects the California Water Association's (CWA) methodology used at the oral argument. The CWA opposes this motion and argues in favor of the propriety of its own methodology. In the interests of creating a full record, we grant ORA's motion to submit the additional information, but do not make a determination on the merits of the motion here. The Commission's Docket Office shall file both ORA's motion and CWA's opposition thereto.

IT IS RULED that:

1. The Office of Ratepayer Advocates' (ORA) October 15, 2002, Motion to Submit Corrected Earnings Data is granted.
2. The Commission's Docket Office shall file both ORA's motion and the California Water Association's opposition thereto. This ruling does not address the merits of ORA's motion.

Dated November 5, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JANET A. ECONOME

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Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail, and by electronic mail, to the parties to which an electronic mail address has been provided, this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Motion on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated November 5, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KE HUANG

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